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THE POPE AND AMERICA.

Recent Correspondence Between Cardinal Gibbons and the Head of the Church.

Passengers Injured in a Train Collision Caused by a Flagman's Negligence.

Massacre of an Entire Italian Family in Uruguay by Unknown Rebels.

BALTIMORE, April 8.—The Catholic Mirror of this week will contain correspondence between Cardinal Gibbons and the Pope. In his letter to Rome, the Cardinal wrote: "We need hardly say how much light your Holiness' recent encyclical letter has thrown on social questions, closely connected with the good of religion, since its wisdom has been apparent even to many who are not of the faith. However, if we are not mistaken, it would seem that several things which it contains were especially written for the good of this country, and for this reason have been productive of much fruit among us. There was yet another matter which we recognized with no less pleasure, a groundless fear had taken possession of many minds lest what was being commonly calculated about "National Bishops," without any foundation whatever, should be reduced to practice. We did all in our power to dispel this idle apprehension, especially when we saw the matter bitterly discussed by the public press, and looked upon with disfavor by the Government. Our words remain, however, of no avail, until the voice of your holiness was heard. That put an end to all discussion and manifested to our Government the wisdom and prudence with which Catholic affairs are handled by your holiness."

The answer of the Pope contained the following:—"We rejoice indeed that you esteem the care which we have bestowed upon your dioceses. The sentiments of gratitude which your letter expresses have for us no small comfort. Your devotion increases our desire to incline our good will daily more and more towards you and your flock, and thus to draw closer those bonds of charity and faith which give such great strength and glory to the church. It is most agreeable to us to know that your prayers are offered to God for us, for nothing is better suited to the difficulty of the times in which we live. With a like feeling of charity, therefore, we on our part implore an abundance of heavenly graces for you, and as an earnest of them we impart permanently in the Lord to you the loved son, and to your brethern and to the episcopate of the United States, as well as to the clergy and faithful committed to your watchfulness the apostolic benediction."

A Bad Train Wreck.

MOUNT VERNON, Ohio, April 8.—One of the most serious wrecks that has occurred on the Cleveland, Akron and Columbus Railroad for several years happened yesterday afternoon about 23 miles east of here, at a point called "The Summit," where there is a very steep grade. Freight train No. 24 was going west, assisted by a pusher, and the flagman on the Summit had orders to hold No. 3 express going east until No. 24 passed. This he failed to do, his negligence resulting in a collision in which about a dozen or more passengers were more or less injured.

Those most seriously injured are: T. B. Reed, engineer of No. 3, right foot sprained by jumping; Mrs. Jonathan Tipon, of Black Creek, severe injuries to left arm and wrist and back wrenched, thought to be hurt internally; Mrs. W. H. Latt, of Columbia, back badly sprained. W. L. Koch, of Millersburg, was found wedged between the seats, his right hand and arm being badly bruised and wrenched. H. Irwin, of Austinville, contusion of head and left cheek; S. L. Learing, of Danville, left leg badly bruised and contusions.

About six of the box cars in the freight train were smashed, and over five hours were required to clear the track.

Stealing by Bank Clerks.

NEW YORK, April 6.—The systematic robbery of the banking house of Dix & Phyfe, at 45 Wall street, was unearthed to-day. The exact amount of the stealings is not known, but it is believed it will reach between $60,000 and $70,000. Of the amount $53,000 have been recovered and the loss to the firm will not be very large. The robbery was committed by Oscar Creamer, aged 19 years, assistant bookkeeper; W. E. Carpenter, aged 35, a clerk, and another clerk, James L. White. Creamer and White disappeared last Monday, and it is believed left on the steamer Oakland for Copenhagen that day. Carpenter was arrested to-day. He broke down and made a confession, showing that White had been given a letter of introduction by Creamer to the Park National Bank, signed by Dix & Phyfe, and drew on the bank for large sums on several occasions. Carpenter had been given a great part of the money and bonds stolen, with the understanding that Creamer and White were going to leave the country and he was to forward the money to them when they sent for it. Carpenter said he had buried the money in a cellar in his house in Brooklyn. Going to the house they found $32,130 in cash and $20,000 in bonds. It is not known how much Creamer and White took with them.

Lieut. Backus Turns Up.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—The only information received at the War Department concerning Lieut. Backus is confined to the foreign despatch stating he had turned up and had been identified. It is presumed at the War Department that the officials at Governor's Island will look after the lieutenant. They have reported that no instructions will be given as to the disposition to be made of him. The natural course will be to have him examined by the medical officers at Governor's Island, and if found insane, as his conduct would seem to indicate, to bring him to this city for treatment at the Government insane asylum.

The Mormon Temple.

SALT LAKE, Utah, April 6.—Every state of Zion and every camp in the world was represented at the laying of the capstone stone of the Mormon temple to-day. Fully 30,000 saints from without are here. At 11:30 o'clock the priesthood, according to rank, from apostles down to elders, filed in the tabernacle and at 12 o'clock proceeded to the temple, headed by President Woodruff. The presidency, which consisted of Woodruff, Cannon and Smith, took their positions on the platform erected for the purpose, and the people arranged themselves around it. Held's band played the capstone march, and, the tabernacle choir, consisting of 500 well-trained voices, sang the temple anthem. The effect was grand. Prayer and singing followed, when the president, Mr. Woodruff, laid the capstone by touching an electric button. Shouts of hozannahs by the assembled multitudes of the faithful shook the temple and could be heard for a mile around. It was enthusiastic and vehement, like a battle shout, and the multitude swayed with tremor and excitement. No such religious experience was ever known in the Christian world since the crusade. The hymn, "The Spirit of God, Like a Fire, is Burning," was started by the band and the choir and the multitude fell in until the grand chorus resounded through the air in a majestic swell. The ode, "Hail the Glorious Day," was then rendered. Addresses were delivered, full of religious power, promising the fulfillment of God's word to Prophet Smith, that the saints will redeem the world so that Christ may come and reign on earth. A benediction closed the exercises, which were in charge of President Lorenzo Snow of the 12 apostles. Last evening closed the 62nd annual Mormon conference. The concourse of people was unusually large. The weather was cloudy, but pleasant, and the day was the greatest in Mormon history since the settlement of this valley by Brigham Young and the pioneers.

Mexican Kidnapping Case.

SABINAS, Mexico, April 6.—Vicente Alerez, second lieutenant of the Sixth rural cavalry, which is stationed here, yesterday met Major Leopold Uvarez, who was driving in a buggy from San Juan de Sabinas to this station and was accompanied by Alexander Flores of Sabinas. Lieut. Alerez rode up to the buggy and commanded Major Uvarez, who was driving, to halt. After felling the horse by a blow from his carbine and having fired several shots just over the heads of the occupants of the buggy, Alerez commanded Flores to retire on foot saying he had no need for him. The last seen of Alerez he was behind the buggy with his carbine pointed at the major, who was guiding his horse according to directions straight across the country in an easterly direction. Col. Valdez has telegraphed to Piedras Negras and other points to arrest Uvarez and Alerez. He also telegraped the general of this military division to notify him of the remarkable occurrence. This is one of the boldest kidnapings ever committed in Mexico. It is believed that Major Uvarez, who has a wealthy estate, has been taken to the mountains east of here and will be held for a heavy ransom.

Notes from Frisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 8.—Gen. Ruger has ordered the return to the city of the troops recently sent to the Round Valley reservations. They have orders to march back.

The case of the United States vs. the Chilean steamer Itata, to settle who is to have charge of the rifles and bayonets condemned, has been appealed to the Court of Appeals. Judge Ross, of Los Angeles, gave his decision in favor of the defendant.

Rev. Dr. Benton, president of the theological seminary at Oakland, is dead, 78 years of age.

Monmouth Park Stock.

NEW YORK, April 8.—There was another important deal in Monmouth Park Association stock yesterday, the new management, headed by A. F. Walcott, purchasing the stock of Jas. Galway and James Gordon Bennett. Of the old stockholders, the only one remaining is John A. Morris, and he will not part with his stock, nor is he desirous of doing so. It is thought that everything now points to an almost perfect assurance that there will be a splendid meeting at Monmouth this year.

A Family Slaughtered.

MONTEVIDEO, April 8.—Near Guadaloupe, Uruguay, an Italian named Travers, his wife and three children, the eldest a girl 22 years of age, were found murdered in their home yesterday. The dead bodies bore numerous dagger wounds. Travers recently realized $1000 from the sale of his crops, and the money was known to be in his house. The murderers carried off the $1000. Their identity is unknown, but it is thought they were acquaintances of the victims.

Cars in the River.

HUNTINGTON, Mass., April 8.—Last night a freight train ran into a span of the bridge, knocking it down, four cars going into the river, just east of here. The passenger train was delayed about twelve hours. No loss of life occurred.

Portland Fire.

PORTLAND, Or., April 8.—Fire early this morning completely destroyed the Grand Central block at Linkville, causing a loss of $25,000, insured.

Fire in Des Moines.

DES MOINES, Iowa, April 8.—The Crocker school building, the largest in the city, is now burning.

BLOODTHIRSTY ANARCHISTS

A Prominent Resident of Prussian Poland Murdered by an Organized Gang.

No Room Found in Westminster Abbey for a Monument to James Russell Lowell.

Sailors Lose Their Lives in a Collision---Fire in Bremen---The Barque Noddieburn.

PARIS, April 7.—It is the intention of the authorities to try the accused anarchists before May day, in order to terrorize the lawless by the probable severity of the sentences. The police have released Chaumartin, who identified Ravachol, and has done other services in giving clues against that class of criminals.

BERLIN, April 8.—In accordance with instructions from the Ministry the Berlin police to-day made a descent on houses supposed to shelter anarchists. They arrested several alleged anarchists but got no evidence of a conspiracy. Large quantities of newspapers and pamphlets, tending to anarchy, were seized.

BERLIN, April 8.—Deacon Von Poniski, an important citizen of Koscielec, Prussian Poland, was fatally shot in his bed by four masked men last night. His wife lying alongside her husband was uninjured. The village was aroused and an expedition organized to hunt the assassins. The latter were surrounded in a near-by wood and two shot dead by the villagers. The other two, seeing escape impossible, shot themselves, dying instantly. When the bodies were examined letters of instruction were found on them with the words, "Executive Committee of the Polish Anarchists," containing instructions to murder Deacon Von Poniski and to commit other outrages, showing that the Polish anarchists are thoroughly organized.

German Political Troubles.

BERLIN, April 7.—The adjournment of the House to-day without having made an appropriation for the salary of the Minister-President of Prussia, shows that the cabinet crisis is still acute. The Independents and members of the left wing of the National Liberals say that the Government now virtually acknowledges that the separation of the Chancellorship from the office of Minister-President was only a temporary make-shift. It is in prospect that Count von Caprivi is determined to retire. His pride has been galled by the taunts of the Liberals in the Reichstag since the appointment of Eulenburg, and he has shown himself to be half-hearted in his definition of the Emperor's course in the emergency just before the adjournment of the Reichstag.

No Room For a Lowell Monument.

LONDON, April 8.—James Russell Lowell will not have a monument in Westminster Abbey. The Athenæum says that owing to the scantness of the unoccupied space in the abbey, the Very Rev. Geo. Granville Bradley, D. D., Dean of Westminster, has reluctantly declined to find room in the abbey for the proposed monument, and has suggested instead a memorial window in the Chapter House. The scene of the delivery of some of Lowell's addresses might be filled with stained glass memorials.

A Bremen Quay Burned.

BREMEN, April 8.—East Bremen quay was destroyed by fire last night, with all the goods in storage there. The loss included 3000 bales of cotton and 4000 tons of corn from the British steamer Bengerehead, Captain Smith, from New Orleans, and also a quantity of general merchandise which was to have been shipped on the British steamer Intrepid from New York.

A Disturber Ejected.

LONDON, April 7.—A meeting of unemployed workingmen which took place at Tower Hill to-day was disturbed by one Bachert, who persisted in declaring that the meetings were started by socialists and other agitators for the purpose of disorder, and not by genuine working men. The police drove Bachert away.

The Hansard Union Gang.

LONDON, April 8.—Horatio Bottomley, Sir Henry Isaacs and Charles Dollman, charged with having conspired to cheat and defraud the Hansard Publishing Company, which failed some time ago for upwards of £30,000, have been committed for trial. Isaacs was formerly Lord Mayor of London.

Extradition Treaty With Germany.

BERLIN, April 8.—Minister Phelps is making good progress with the new extradition treaty. The treaties expiring were made many years ago with the different governments of the then existing "German Bund," containing many imperfections, which led to several cases of injustice.

The Noddieburn's Rough Trip.

PLYMOUTH, April 8.—The British bark Noddieburn, from Puget Sound, reports that in latitude 44 n. long. 27 west, she met a terrific gale, lasting 24 hours and a heavy sea for five days. Fifty feet of her bulwarks were carried away and she sustained other damage. The decks were flooded.

Turbulent Samoans.

SIDNEY, N.S.W., April 8.—Advices from Samoa show that the feud between King Malietoa and Chief Mataafa grows more bitter, and the probabilities of an outbreak grow stronger.

Fatal Collision at Sea.

HAMBURG, April 8.—The steamers Hansa, for Hamburg, and Falkenburg, for Bremen, were in collision at sea last night. The Hansa sank, carrying down with her seven of her crew. The Falkenburg put into Delft, Holland, with her bows stove in.

Theft of Diamonds.

LONDON, April 8.—In the trial of Carl Auguste Sampson, for the theft of diamonds and money from Mrs Margaret Bernstein, to-day, the jury returned a verdict of guilty, and the judge sentenced Sampson to one year's imprisonment at hard labor.

Heavy Snow Storm.

NEW WESTMINSTER, April 8.—A heavy snow storm was reported from Sicamous this morning. The snow storm is said to extend from Sicamous to Calgary. All trains are delayed.

VANCOUVER NEWS.

Militia Matters---Hon. Mr. Fraser---Hair Restorer Case.

VANCOUVER, April 8.—Petitions will be extensively circulated, asking the Government to establish a city battalion of either rifles or infantry instead of garrison artillery, with headquarters at Westminster. There is a great deal of feeling over the matter. It is understood that the later arrangement has been recommended in the regular way, and that a prominent citizen of Vancouver, with political as well as military aspirations, will be made Lieutenant-Colonel.

Dr. Clock, of Boston, founder of the Christian Endeavor society, is expected here on the 19th instant, and will be tendered a reception.

Hon. Christopher Fraser and family are in the city. He does not consider the recent reverses which the Liberals of Ontario met with as anything seriously to be alarmed about. Time, he believes, will show that the course pursued by that party was and is the correct one. From the day he entered the United States on his westward trip until he left it on Puget Sound he found Canadians everywhere. [illegible] are the best of citizens, and [illegible] their own country, undoubtedly he was delighted, to be once more.

Alderman H. Collins has returned from a trip to Ottawa and Eastern points.

A case of more than amusing interest will come up this afternoon in the county court, a suit brought by one Craigeland against Mrs. McGillivray. The defendant had a patent hair restorer, guaranteed to make hair grow on anything. She sold it to plaintiff on strong representations of its utility. Now the plaintiff summons a lot of bald-headed men and beardless youths, who tried it on, to prove that the restorer was a fraud.

A CHINESE THIEF.

A Magistrate Recognizes a Fork Produced in Court as His Own.

Lee Kie was arraigned before Messrs. Robert Ward and N. Shakespeare at the police court this morning, charged by J. A. Lynch with the larceny of $1. The complainant testified that the prisoner was engaged by him to attend to his room and that of others in the same lodging house. Some articles were lost by Mrs. Teague (in whose house the prisoner was employed) lately, and this Chinaman was suspected. He left a marked $1 bill under a pillow in one of the rooms, which the prisoner appropriated, first hiding the money between the mattrass and head board of a bed before placing it in his pocket. Chief Sheppard arrested Lee Kie and found the marked dollar bill in his possession. The bill was identified in court. The chief and Sergeant Hawton searched the prisoner's cabin and found in it a quantity of table knives, forks, spoons, a photograph and case, a locket and silver thimble and case. The articles were handed up for the court to examine, and after closely scrutinizing a silver fork, Mr. Ward remarked, "Why, that fork belongs to me" and looking at the prisoner continued, "Why you must be a professional." The court found the prisoner guilty and sentenced him to three months at hard labor.

The Dong Boo intimidation case was dismissed, and also a charge of assault against Wm. McDonald, the complainant failing to put in an appearance.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

Mrs. C. Ramos of Tacoma is at the Oriental.

A. A. Richardson of Nanaimo, was in the city yesterday.

C. J. Mulkey, United States Inspector of Customs at Tacoma is in town.

R. P. Rithet and Captain John Irving left this morning for California.

Rev. T. W. Glover of Toronto is in the city. He will visit different parts of British Columbia before returning east.

A. Ewen, John Hendry and E. E. Rand of New Westminster, are in the city.

P. A. Paulson and J. D. Coughran, two of Tacoma's solid men, are at the Driard.

Mrs. W. O'Reiley left this morning for California to join her husband who is in business there.

C. D. Vincent of the firm of McBean and Company, sewerage contractors, and Mrs. Vincent left for California this morning.

D. B. Higgs, editor of the Guardian of Charlottetown, P. E. I., and secretary of the board of trade of that city is at the Driard.

A. McPherson, a former resident of Victoria, has returned from the Sound, where he has resided for a couple of years, and will make this city his home. He will represent the Union Mutual of Maine.

Your clothes will last longer and look better if you get them washed at the Steam Laundry, Yates street. When house cleaning send your lace curtains.

CANADIAN NOTES.

News by Mail and Wire from all Parts of the Dominion.

The Montreal lacrosse club has received invitations to visit Australia during the coming summer.

The cross petition of Cargill, M.P. for East Bruce, against the defeated Liberal candidate, Truan, has been filed.

John O'Shea, aged 25, was arrested in Montreal charged with starting Sunday's disastrous fire in Bonsecours market.

Reports from various parts of Ontario say that the fall wheat is showing up in splendid condition and never promised better.

Judge Tessier, of the court of Queen's Bench, Quebec, who has been at the point of death for some days past, died yesterday morning.

The bridge across the Becancour River, at Becancour, Que., was carried away by ice during the night. The water is very high.

A rumor is current that Robert McGreevy will shortly return from New York to receive his sentence. He is said to be in poor health.

Dick Roach, the well-known wrestler, was fined $25 by the Hamilton police magistrate on Wednesday for intimidating non-union moulders.

The liabilities of Galt, Anderson & Co., Toronto, wholesale lumber merchants, who assigned, are estimated at $130,000; assets nominally $150,000.

In the Ontario Legislature yesterday bills providing for the admission of women to the study and practice of law in that province were carried by a vote of forty-one to forty.

It is reported from Sudbury that a syndicate is being organized there to purchase all the valuable nickel properties in that district with the object of controlling the entire output of nickel.

The Ontario Government has decided to follow the action of the Dominion Government in withdrawing the privilege of free postage from the civil servants. In future all Ontario Government clerks must pay their own postage.

The cold weather is again staving off the impending flood at Winnipeg, but the water has risen over a foot during the past twenty-four hours, and is now within three feet of the Transfer railway track and Nortaern Pacific workshops.

The members of the Toronto board of works will visit the chief cities of the States and inspect both the trolley and storage battery system of electric tramway locomotion, with the object of deciding on which system to adopt in Toronto.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company have notified its agents all along the line not to accept any more grain for Montreal for storage. Almost two million bushels are in store there awaiting the opening of navigation, and the elevators are filled to the utmost of their capacity.

The Montreal Real Estate Owners' Association has passed a resolution demanding that the candidates for the mayoralty must qualify to the extent of $20,000, and that the number of aldermen for each ward shall be reduced from three to two, one of whom shall be elected by the real estate owners.

Work on the prolongation of the Lake St. John railway is being pushed with vigor. A fifteen mile construction contract has just been signed; another for ten miles is about being entered into for work between Metabetchouan and Chicoutimi. According to present anticipation cars will be running to Riviere au Saale by November next.

The Montreal Star's special cable says: The British medical and horticultural papers are renewing their attacks upon the American and Canadian apples because of the alleged use of arsenic in trans-Atlantic orchards. The Canadian Gazette suggests that Canada invites eminent British experts to visit the Dominion and set the question definitely at rest, and thus prevent the trade being hampered.

At a meeting in Toronto of the committee of finance, in connection with the Methodist Church, it was resolved to follow up and encourage any opening for work among the Chinese at Nanaimo. An Indian church at the same place, which has been destroyed by fire, will be replaced by another building. It is contemplated to purchase about six acres of land at Chilliwback, B.C., for the purpose of erecting thereon an Industrial school for Indian boys and girls.

The new Quebec Government is still exercising the pruning knife vigorously, and as a result, many of the appointees of the Mercier Government are being dismissed from office every day. The latest to receive notices that their services were no longer required were three of the most prominent minor officials in the prothonotorial offices, Saville, Beausobiel and Ste. Marie. These dismissals have caused a great deal of ill-feeling, as the discharged officers have big connections.

The Nova Scotia boodling investigation revealed the fact that Jos. McVearish, J. P., of Sydney, had affixed his signature to seven bogus declarations attached to pay sheets covering the alleged expenditure of thousands of dollars. Mr. McVearish justified his conduct by asserting that the sheets were signed by Mr. Brown, inspector, as being approved by him, and that they were all right. It transpired from Mr. Brown's evidence that, at the instigation of members, he had signed a number of blank sheets as approved.

A decision of some importance to the traveling public was given in the Exchequer Court, Ottawa, last week. Sarah Dickenson sued the Government for certain goods, glacier diamonds, said to be stolen from the examining warehouse at Montreal. The damages claimed were $465. It was said the goods were stolen from the box in which they were shipped from London. The court held that the goods were not stolen while at Montreal, and even if they had been the crown was not liable. Judgment was therefore given for the crown with costs.

Brighton, Ont., claims the honor of having the largest man in Canada among its citizens. He is Leonard Whitton, a butcher. His measurements and weight follow: Around shoulders 5 feet 6 inches, around chest 5 feet 2 inches, around hips 6 feet 2 inches, around neck 1 foot 11 inches, around arm and shoulder 2 feet 2 inches, around arm below elbow 1 foot 5 inches, around thigh 3 feet 9 inches, around calf 2 feet. Head measure around temples 23 inches, and from roots of hair to end of chin 9 inches. Mr. Whitton weighs 469 pounds and attends daily to business.

Affairs in Chili.

VALPARAISO, April 8. — Judge of Crimes Foster, who conducted the investigation of the murderous assault upon the sailors of the Baltimore, was promoted to the Court of Appeals at a meeting of the Council of State held yesterday. Five Court of Appeal judges in all have been appointed, two from the Conservative party and three from the Liberal ranks. This proves the desire of the present Cabinet to act fairly in the distribution of offices, and affords no chance for the opposition to cavil at the action of the administration. It is reported that Admiral Walker's squadron sailed from Ensenada, Argentine, on March 27th. Its destination is not known. It is not Montevideo.

Blaine Would Not Take a Nomination.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—The stories which have been circulated the past week with reference to Mr. Blaine's supposed willingness to accept the nomination for the Presidency, have created a good deal of comment in Washington and have been a source of annoyance to Mr. Blaine's friends. A senator who has been as close a friend to Mr. Blaine for the past 20 years as any man in public life said to-day that the agitation which had been started during the past few days did not originate with anybody who was friendly to the Secretary of State. "Mr. Blaine does not want the nomination," he said, "and he could not take it. It is unjust to him to continue the use of his name."

To Naturalize Chinamen.

WASHINGTON, April 7.—Dawes presented a petition for naturalization of such Chinamen as came to this country before the passage of the first exclusion act with the intention of making it their permanent home.

The London Poor.

The latest statistics tell us that out of London's four or five millions of people more than 300,000 earn less than 3 shillings a day per family. Between 40,000 and 50,000 children in the board schools alone go to scheol hungry every morning, and rarely know at any time what it is to have sufficient food.

They tell us also that one week's income of the owners of London's ground, the value of which increases at the rate of over four millions annually, would provide a dinner every day in the year for each one of the forty thousand ill fed children, and that London's million poor could be decently housed on the unearned increment of a year.

Facts like these, pictures like this one before us, naturally make us question whether the time is not ripe for the favored and happy to stop and "consider" the problem of the poor.

The same pitiless statician who goes on building a pyramid of proof by piling convincing fact on fact, states that London has over 30,000 people who have no home and no shelter but that afforded by the fourpenny Doss House and the casual ward.—Harper's Bazar.

Is This Your Turn?

A gentleman visiting a patient in a hospital said to the attendant: That sick man's father is my mother's son." What relationship existed between the visitor and the patient?

THE QUEEN will give an elegant Mason & Risch fine toned upright piano to the first person answering the above problem correctly; an elegant gold watch for the second correct answer; a China dinner set for the third correct answer; an elegant silk dress pattern for the fourth correct answer, and many other valuable prizes. An elegant special prize will be given for the **first correct answer from a reader of this paper.** Each person answering must enclose five three cent stamps for copy of THE QUEEN for April, containing full particulars, and a beautiful water-color engraving "Easter-Morning." This announcement appears simultaneously throughout Canada **to-day.** Answer promptly, as postmarks count. Address THE CANADIAN QUEEN, "X" Toronto, Ont.

N.B.—THE QUEEN gives away one piano each month during 1892. The winner of the piano in the last (Moses) problem was Miss May Gormley, of Hamilton, Ont. ap2-3 4

Skill Brought to Perfection.

Prof. Dorenwend of Toronto, the greatest Hair Goods Artist on this continent, is now visiting Manitoba, N. W. T., and British Columbia, with his immense stock of fine Hair Goods Coverings for either ladies or gents in Wigs, Toupees, Switches, Bangs; Curly, Wavy and Plain Fronts, etc. See his advertisement in this paper, also large posters and hangers for dates, days and places where he is stopping. Don't miss this chance; go and see how natural and attractive looking you can be made, and baldness, plain and thin hair will be with you a thing of the past. In Victoria he will be at the Driard house for one week, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. April 18, 19, 20, 21, 22 and 23.

Social Problems.

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10:30 a.m.....Lv Muckilteo Lv.....10:45 a.m.
11:00 a.m.....Lv Everett Lv..... 9:45 a.m.
12:00 m.....Lv Marysville Lv..... 9:30 a.m.
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TIME TABLE NO. 15.

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Tuesday, October 20th, 1891.

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STATIONS.	Going South (Read up): Miles from Wellington.	No. 1 Passenger Daily. P M	No. 3 Passenger Sat. and Sun. P M	Going North (Read down): No. 2 Passenger Daily. A M	No. 4 Passenger Sat. and Sun. P M	Miles from Victoria.
VICTORIA	78	Ar. 12:24	Ar. 5:58	De. 8:00	De. 2:30	
RUSSELL'S	77	" 12:20	" 5:54	" 8:04	2:34	1
ESQUIMALT	74	" 12:10 A M	" 5:44	" 8:14	2:44	4
GOLDSTREAM	67	" 11:45	" 5:19	" 8: 9	3:09	11
SHAWNIGAN LAKE	50	" 10:50	" 4:24	" 9:31	4:04	28
COBBLE HILL	47	" 10:40	" 4:14	" 9:44	4:14	31
McPHERSON'S	43	" 10:27	3:59	9:57	4:29	35
KOKSILAH	40	" 10:17	" 3:49	" 10:07	" 4:39	38
DUNCAN'S	38	" 10:12	" 3:44	" 10:12	" 4:44	40
SOMENOS	35	" 10:03	" 3:34	" 10:22	" 4:54	43
CHEMAINUS	26	" 9:36	" 3:12	" 10:48	" :16	52
NANAIMO	5	De. 8:34	" 2:14	Ar. 11:50	" 6:14	
		Ar. 8:25		De. 11:59		
WELLINGTON		De. 8:10	De. 1:50	Ar. 12:14 P M	Ar. 6:30	

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NOTES FROM NELSON.

Mining Developments --- Steamers Running ---Immigration Active.

From the Nelson Miner.]

Two feet of snow fell on Toad mountain during the past week.

The Galena is making daily trips between Nelson and Ainsworth, running to Kaslo Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

A. McKinnon has sold a half interest in the Sunnyside, Hot Springs district, to a Minneapolis capitalist for $1000.

The Lendrum-Retallack-Watson interest in the now famous Washington claim in Slocan district—five-twelfths—has been bonded by A. E. Jefferson, of Spokane Falls, for $20,000.

J. R. Tool, of Anaconda, Montana, came in last Sunday to inspect the Skyline on behalf of the McCune Company, to report before the final payment for the property is made. He shipped three sacks of ore for test.

Work has been suspended on the Number One on account of a breakdown in the pumping apparatus. It will not, probably, be started up again until Dr. Campbell arrives.

Work is steadily progressing on the wharf at Ainsworth, the Government having made an appropriation of $1500 towards the cost. A sidewalk will be laid from "Rory" McLeod's corner to the new site as soon as boats can land there.

The Marion arrived safely from Revelstoke on Tuesday last with over 30 passengers. No ice and a very slow rise of water is reported of the Upper Columbia.

Henry Cody has just arrived from Carpenter Creek, bringing with him the latest report of that section. The steamboat that is being constructed there will be one of the tidiest crafts that have ever sailed on inland waters. There are about 200 people around the lake. In the neighborhood of 50 buildings are being erected at El Dorado. There is no truth in the report that three men had been drowned in Slocan Lake. There is about eight feet of snow at the mines, with none on the level.

The Mara outfit are already having serious complaints made against them for their efforts to get a cinch on the freight transportations in these parts. The freight rate from Spokane to Nelson is 82 cents per 100 and that is high enough and they want to raise it. Mr. Mara will find that this Kootenay lake country has too many natural outlets to be carried as quietly in his breeches pocket as the hamlet of Kamloops.

Development work is going on steadily on the silver Queen, and the results are of a very encouraging nature. The shaft has been sunk about 10 feet, and at the bottom the ledge is between 6 and seven feet wide. "Jim" Mack is the acting superintendent.

Ed. Croft, who has been engaged as superintendent of the Neosho, reports having closed down the mine on account of water. The shaft is down 100 feet with the bottom in rich black sulphurets. An effort will probably be made to keep the water in check by means of a windmill until the mine is thoroughly opened up.

A syndicate of English and Victoria capitalists have secured a working bond on the Whitewater gold mine on Rover Creek about 10 miles from Nelson. The purchase price is $90,000. It is the intention to place a stamp mill on the ground as soon as sufficient work has been done to warrant the outlay.

Legal firms are becoming numerous in Nelson, F. M. McLeod from Sussex, New Brunswick, and J. H. Bowes from Toronto are the latest arrivals. They are both located in the Tolson block. Corbould, McColl, Jeans & Campbell are sending Mr. Elliot from their Vancouver office to represent them during the coming summer in this district.

W. Gesner Allan has resigned as deputy sheriff and has been succeeded in that capacity by W. P. Robinson, late of Toronto.

But little is being done at present on the smelter at Galena Bay, as Dr. Hendryx is waiting for a fresh supply of provisions.

A dredger is being constructed at Pilot Bay to be used this year in carrying out the Grohman reclamation scheme.

Leopold Walters, the owner of the Nelson Brewery, fell down on Tuesday night on Josephine street and broke his right leg near the ankle.

In a letter dated England, March 1st, "Jack" Walsh intimates that he, J. W. Tolson, and E. Ramsay, the part owner of the Silver King, intended leaving for Nelson about the middle of March.

Judge Spinks expects to come in on the first boat down the Columbia to hold court at Nelson.

The tunnel on the Grizzly is in about 300 feet. The rock is not as good as it has been, but, still, it is good enough.

The Hanna and Denver City mineral claims in the vicinity of the Queen, have been sold through R. G. Tatlow to coast speculators.

A Strange Story About a Schooner.

The two-masted schooner James A. Fisher, which struck on the Jersey coast, near Cape May inlet, forty-nine years ago, and sunk in the quicksands, will soon be afloat again, a perfect vessel as of yore. She was buried so deeply in the sand that not even her masts or rigging have been visible, but the recent storm unearthed her.

The vessel is in remarkably perfect condition, not ever a bulwark being crushed in. The cargo of corn was dug out of her hold a few days ago, black, but in perfect shape. Watches, shoes, and the clothing of the crew were brought to light. A watch showed the exact hour at which it had stopped ticking, and the pipes and tobacco were just as left by the ill-fated crew.

The cargo consisted of a full load of corn shipped at Duck River, Delaware Bay, for New York. She sunk so soon in the sand that the crew's clothing and paraphernalia, as well as the entire cargo, went down. Captain Andrews and several of the crew were frozen to death, and the steward drowned in attempting to reach the mainland.—Philadelphia Record.

AFTER FORTY YEARS.

Quarrel of an Old Couple and an Interesting Decision.

New York Recorder.]

After a happy married life of more than 40 years, Ferdinand and Barbara Jung, each of them about 70 years of age, have quarreled, separated and gone to law over such a small matter as the income from $5000. Judge Cullen of the Supreme Court in Brooklyn yesterday gave judgment for the wife, but in such a way that the grown children of the old people, with whom Mrs. Jung has lately been living, hope to effect a reconciliation.

The dispute that led to the separation was on the question as to which of them should own a piece of property, at Myrtle avenue and Schenck street, which years ago they bought in common. The title of the property was so arranged that both should own the property jointly during their lives, and that at the death of either, it should become the sole property of the survivor. They had raised a loan on the property by a mortgage to the Germania Savings Bank, and not long ago Ferdinand Jung, who is a carpenter, wanted to sell the property and invest the proceeds in business.

To this the old lady would by no means consent. She said that if her husband should survive her he was welcome to the property, but that so long as she lived it should not be sold. Then the old man took another way out of the difficulty, and permitted the Germania Bank to foreclose its mortgage and sell the property. After all expenses and claims had been met, there remained a balance of $5000, and to this, of course, Mr. Jung laid claim.

The old lady also put in a claim, however, and succeeded in having the money tied up until a judicial decision could be secured as to its fair division. The lawyer for Mrs. Jung argued that as between her and her husband the $5000 was actually real estate and should be viewed as the joint property of both. She did not wish to deprive her husband of his just interest in it, but thought it should be invested, and, at the death of either of them, become the sole property of the survivor.

Judge Cullen made an order directing the money to be invested in the Long Island Trust Company, but stipulating that, as the head of the family, Mr. Jung was entitled to the income from the investment during his life.

This is the first decision of the kind in this State, and its chief interest to lawyers lies in that it establishes a precedent as to the rights of husband and wife to surplus moneys arising out of the sale of real estate that was their joint property.

Drinks for Statesmen.

In the French chamber of deputies every deputy or senator who ascends the rostrum is accompanied by a glass filled with his favorite beverage. The president of the chamber, M. Foquet, drinks tepid syrup and water. M.M. Ribot, Bourgeois and Roche, respectively in charge of the departments of foreign affairs, public works, and commerce, imbibe iced coffee. Their colleagues in the cabinet, M.M. Fallieres, Barbey and Develle, confine themselves to sugared water. M. Rouvier, the minister of finance, wets his lips at intervals of about five minutes with a lemonade. M. Clemenceau has two big glasses filled with soda water and Marsala, which he gulps alternately. M. Deroulede affects cognac, while the ex-Ministers Brisson, Lockroy and Delafosse drink brandy diluted with sugar and water. Ex-Minister Melme, the leader of the protectionist party, likes stiff hot grog even on the hottest summer days, while the late Mgr. Freppel invariably had a huge glass of beer.—London Figaro.

No Full Length Portraits for Him.

Thackeray was not a vain man, and he disliked vanity in others, and made it the subject of his ridicule and sarcasm.

After long pleading his family induced him to have his portrait painted, and Lawrence, a famous London artist, gladly undertook the task.

Soon after the picture was completed Thackeray chanced to be dining at his club, when a pompous officer of the Guards stopped beside the table and said:

"Haw, Thackeray, old boy, I hear Lawrence has been painting your portrait?"

"So he has," was the response.

"Full length?"

"No; full length portraits are for soldiers, that we may see their spurs. But the other end of the man is the principal thing with authors," said Thackeray.

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THE HOSPITAL BOARD.

A Chinese Laundryman Protests Against Work Being Taken Away From Him.

At the regular semi-monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Royal Jubilee Hospital yesterday, President Davies in the chair, the monthly reports from the physician, house steward and matron were read and discussed. The most important was from Dr. Richardson, who reported 46 free patients, 8 at $10 per week, 15 at $15 per week and one at $30 per week. At the end of February there were 46 patients in the hospital, 29 were admitted during March, 41 discharged and one died, leaving 33 inmates at the beginning of April. The average number of patients per day was 45¼. Pay patients paid $245 and there was still due $90. The question of amending the act constituting the board in order to give the city representation thereon in the event of an annual grant from the corporation was discussed, but it was decided to take no action at present. It was, however, the unanimous opinion of the Board that if the city council made a liberal grant to the hospital, that the views of the Mayor in respect to representation on the directorate would be carried out. Considerable business of a minor character was transacted, and a letter was read from Sam Sing, the former laundryman of the hospital, who modestly protested in choice and grammatical English, against the transference of the work, without cause, to the Yates street steam laundry. It was explained that the matron had complained about the work of Sam Sing and the steam laundry had been given a trial. Sam Sing's letter is remarkable as being about the first protest by a Victoria Chinaman against the competition of white labor.

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GREAT "GIVE AWAY."

When replying to the member for Nanaimo district (Mr. McKenzie), who had moved the second reading of his bill repealing clause 22 of the Island Railway and Graving Dock Act, Mr. Robson admitted that the grant of 1,500,000 acres of land to the E. & N. Railway Co. was a dead "give away." It was, he confessed, a one-sided arrangement, and he did not think another government would ever be found to repeat the "mistake." The admission, although coming like a death-bed repentance, too late, is an unexpected endorsement of the views expressed by the TIMES and by the Opposition party of eight or nine years ago.

Mr. McKenzie proposed the repeal of the clause in the act which exempts from taxation forever the land in the possession of the E. & N. Railway Co., and made a strong argument against that unprecedented concession. But the "previous question" having been carried after three members had spoken, the debate was choked off, and the other representatives from Nanaimo were unfairly deprived of the opportunity to speak on the question. Mr. McKenzie's bill was defeated by a large majority, Messrs. Beaven, Grant and Milne, of the Opposition, not voting

Had Mr. McKenzie's bill passed the House, it would very likely have been disallowed at Ottawa, for it was the Ottawa government on behalf of British Columbia that made the contract with the E. & N. Railway Co. It has been held by high constitutional authorities that the clause exempting the lands of the company from taxation to the end of time was ultra vires of the legislature, and we suppose it was with a view of testing this point that Mr. McKenzie introduced his bill. But there can be no question that the repeal of the clause would be repudiation. It was altogether a very bad bargain, a "dead give away" as the Premier says, but there does not appear to us to be any honorable way by which the province can be relieved of the obligations placed upon it by Smythe, Robson and Davie. It can, however, repudiate the men who made the concession, and prevent a repetition—as in the Crofter syndicate scheme—of a "give away" for which there is less excuse than there was for the Island Railway surrender. The grant of 500,000 acres of land to a wealthy syndicate, who are to engage in fishing, the province at the same time giving the foreign capitalists $750,000 to hire cheap labor in Scotland, is infinitely worse than the concession to Mr. Dunsmuir. And some time in the future, very likely, one of the ministers responsible for the present "give away," will admit, as Mr. Robson has done in the case of the railway, that it was a "mistake" and that no government will ever think of repeating such a crime against the state.

"BRITISH FAIR PLAY."

The Vancouver World in discussing the McLeod case comes to the conclusion that "British fair play is happily not a misnomer in this country." The "fair play" to which Mr. McLeod was treated by the Superintendent of Education and the Council of Public Instruction consisted in his being refused a chance to defend himself. Metaphorically speaking, they tied his hands behind his back and struck him on the face. The investigating committee practically followed suit, since Mr. McLeod was denied the right of conducting his own case before it, a right which is accorded to all citizens in every part of the British Empire except British Columbia. That style of "fair play" in days gone by suited the ideas of the Venetian Council of Three, the Spanish Inquisition, the Star Chamber and the brutal hero of the Bloody Assize. In these modern days it is generally left to such people as the Chinese Highbinders, the semi-savage Russian police and the "unspeakable Turk." It also seems to find favor with the Hon. John Robson, "Dr." Pope and the Vancouver World, but we fail to understand how any lover of freedom and justice can regard its practice in this supposedly free country without a feeling of extreme disgust.

The wretched results of trying such a case in secret and excluding the party most interested are well shown by the committee reports. As has been said before, the report of the majority would in all likelihood have been the same had any other procedure been adopted; the three members were there to find a verdict for the Government, and that they would have done in any event. But if the investigation had been made in public, as it would have been in any other part of Canada, and had Mr. McLeod been allowed to look after his own case, as he should have been, the minority would very likely have been kept from doing a grave injustice and falling into a ludicrous blunder as well. The minority view of the case is thus presented and justified by the News-Advertiser:—

The conclusion at which the public, reading carefully both reports, will arrive, is that Mr. McLeod, while he may have had some grievance which demanded redress, or at least investigation, prejudiced his own case, and compelled the Council of Public Instruction to take action in a way it might not otherwise have done, by the manner in which he acted in asking the interference of the School Board before he had given the Superintendent of Instruction an opportunity to enquire into the matter.

The public should keep in mind the fact that no such reason for the cancellation of Mr. McLeod's certificate was advanced by the Council of Public Instruction. As the majority and the minority take practically the same ground in this regard, differing only as to the degree of punishment which they considered Mr. McLeod deserved, the fair conclusion is that the committee found Mr. McLeod not guilty on the charges preferred by the council, but brought in a wholly new charge against him. There is no need to ask any fair-minded man whether this was just treatment. It is an axiom of British justice that a man must not be tried on a charge which he has had no opportunity of meeting, and when the committee went behind the bill of indictment offered by the Council of Public Instruction, Mr. McLeod should certainly have been given such opportunity. We again repeat that this injustice would have been avoided had the investigation been held in any but the Star Chamber method. Mr. McLeod could have shown, as has been shown by the TIMES, that no other course was open to him than that which he took. The council was well aware of this fact, and therefore entered no complaint against him on that ground. But the committee in its sapiency improved on the council's findings, disregarding both fair play and common sense.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Little Rhode Island always leads off in the State contests of the presidential year, and therefore is looked to as a "pointer." On Wednesday its state elections were held, and they resulted in the Republicans retaining office. They seem, indeed, to have made a pretty clean sweep of the diminutive state, and are accordingly jubilant. If "Little Rhody" is an indicator the Democrats have a poor chance.

"Grip" gives a portrait of the Hon. John Haggart, which is accompanied by the following very laudatory biographical sketch:

The gentleman pictured above occupies the high and responsible position of Minister of Railways and Canals in the Government of the Dominion of Canada. This office came to him as the reward of lofty talent and excellent conduct. He has not long enjoyed it, but it goes without saying that he will perform its duties with the same remarkable ability, honesty and industry which he displayed in his former position as Postmaster General. Mr. Haggart's position as a statesman is a proud one. He has sometimes been named in the same day with Gladstone, but the two men differ so much in small details that a comparison can hardly be made between them. His administrative talents are vast and brilliant, but after all it is as an example to the young men of Canada that he is chiefly useful. He is a shining instance of a self-made man. His career goes to prove, indeed, that to reach a very high place in Canadian Government circles nothing whatever is required except a "pull," and the knowledge of how to use it.

The Chicago Herald joins the New York Herald and New York Sun in predicting that the arbitrators will reach a decision adverse to the United States, Behring Sea contentions. It says:—"There is every reason to believe that the Paris court will dissolve forever our pretensions to exclusive seal hunting in waters outside the three-mile limit. The monopoly for whom theatrical diplomacy has been proceeding should make the best of this year and next. The President has announced that he will limit this year's catch to 7500 seals, but the Alaska Company knows methods by which no record need be kept of a surplus beyond that. Its days are numbered. When the names of its stockholders are announced hereafter it may be feared that anxiety for the extension of the modus vivendi by Americans high in political office may be accounted for more tangibly than it appears now." While so many of the American papers are thus practically admitting that the States was wrong in its assumption of the power to exclude Canadian sealers from Behring Sea, none of them have thought it worth while to refer to the injustice to those sealers which resulted. Little omissions like this are characteristic of Uncle Sam.

LEGISLATIVE NOTES.

Mr. Hunter has no love for the grotesquely-attired individuals who pride themselves on being known as "English sportsmen, you know." People might forgive them for "wearing their waistcoats over their topcoats," but if what Mr. Hunter says is true, namely, that they "take more than they leave and leave only what they borrow," then it is high time to keep them out of the country by forbidding the slaughter of wapiti and such game.

Last evening the Hon. Mr. Robson by mistake voted for the second reading of a bill. An honorable member who sits quite a distance from Mr. Speaker and always votes as the Premier does, seeing the latter raise his hand, went and did likewise. When the vote was taken a second time the shadow's thumb went up at the same time as the Premier's, but this time they were both against the second reading of the bill. In early days of the world's history such a change of conviction would be regarded as little short of a miracle.

What did the sage from Comox mean when he said that the Attorney-General did not appear to know much about Indians?

Mr. Nason's speech, on moving the second reading of the Liquor Bill, was unanimously voted the driest delivered during the session. It is incomprehensible that honorable members should have thought fit to leave a restriction on the liquor traffic after such a clear demonstration of its uses.

The excitement was intense when the Game Bill was under consideration, at one time no fewer than five honorable members rising to speak to the question. Not since the never-to-be-forgotten agitation for confederation has the Legislative building of British Columbia been the scene of such violent demonstrations and such wild, impassioned utterances. But it is the circumstances that make the man.

A number of astronomers were last evening engaged, under the direction of the Premier, in trying to locate the exact position in space of the Latin papers. One of them has stated in the strictest confidence that he believes he got a glimpse of them moving slowly along the Milky Way and apparently making for the Golden Gate, where they will be produced as evidence at some time not to be designated by the Council of Public Instruction.

ASSISTANCE TO RAILWAYS.

The Council and Government to Confer Regarding the Guaranteeing of Bonds.

The prospect of the construction of the Victoria & Sydney railway, with mainland connections, some time during the present year is believed to be good and, so it is said, on terms very advantageous to the city. The Provincial Government, it is believed, will guarantee interest on a portion of the railway company's bonds, which the city will be asked to supplement with a further guarantee of bonds. The total guarantee will probably be a quarter of a million dollars, of which the Government will guarantee one half. A committee of the council, it is understood, will shortly confer with the Government and the promoters of the scheme in respect to the matter, and no doubt something tangible will result from the conference.

The proposal of the Victoria and Sidney Railway Company is to a great extent the same as that of the Victoria, Saanich and New Westminster Railway Company, whose scheme has been before the public for some years, and in aid of which the ratepayers guaranteed interest on bonds to the amount of $500,000 two or three years ago. In that case however the government offered no assistance, but many are of opinion that the aid given by the citizens of Victoria should have ensured the completion of the work had the management possessed the necessary amount of energy. To build the road to Saanich and equip it would probably cost something over $300,000.

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Marks-Sheppard.

William Marks and Miss M. Sheppard, both of this city, were married on Tuesday in Port Townsend by Rev. R. Boyd.

Passed With Honors.

Mr. J. H. Emery of this city, who was a candidate at the recent pharmaceutical examination passed with honors, obtaining 4485 marks out of a possible 6000.

The Quadra Coming.

The Dominion Government steamer Quadra, which went up the West Coast to investigate the reported wrecks, passed Carmanah Point at 12:30 to-day on her way in.

Engineers' Meeting

The regular meeting of the B.C. Marine Engineers' Association will be held in the association rooms in the Five Sisters' block. There is a lot of important business to be disposrd of.

Farewell Concert.

The Ball Family gave their farewell concert last evening in the school room of the Pandora avenue Methodist church. The proceeds of the entertainment are to be devoted to the building fund.

At the Jail.

There are at present 47 prisoners enjoying the hospitality of Warden John at the provincial jail. This is about the average number, although of late not so many city prisoners have been sent out there for short terms.

Is Now a Solicitor.

George A. Morphy, of the firm of Belyea & Gregory, successfully passed an examination to-day before Mr. Justice Walkem, entitling him to be enrolled as a solicitor of the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Y.L.I. Entertainment.

A platform is to be built in the R. C. cathedral for the entertainment to be given by the Young Ladies Institute on Wednesday evening, April 27. The young ladies are hard at work and confident of making the entertainment a grand success.

Look Out for Them.

Chief Jackson of Seattle has declared war on all disorderly characters and vows that he will clean out Whitechapel. No doubt a number of the useless characters will make their way to Victoria, therefore the police should watch for them.

He Carried a Flask.

Awton, an Indian was wending his way homeward last night when Officer Smith discovered he was carrying a flask and arrested him. This morning at the Police Court he was sentenced to pay a fine of $25 or work 2 months in jail for having the liquor in his possession.

All the Evidence In.

All the evidence regarding the dispute between Contractor Burkholder and the trustees of the Methodist church is now in the hands of the arbitrators, the last witnesses having being examined to-day. The award will probably be made next week.

Gone to Portland.

Mr. C. G. Rawlings, who for eight months filled the position of general agent for the Union Pacific Railway Company in this city, left for Portland last evening, his office having been handed over to Messrs. Hall & Goepel. There are several positions vacant in the company's service, one of which Mr. Rawlings will fill.

For the South.

The steamer City of Puebla, the greyhound of the Pacific, left for San Francisco this morning on her first passage south this season. The cabin passengers from this port were, R. P. Rithet, Capt. John Irving, C. D. Vincent, wife and family, J. W. Gunst, R. Ross, J. Anarcros, S. C. Portley and wife and Mrs. W. O'Reilly.

The Game Bill.

Hon. Mr. Turner does not yet despair of getting his Game Bill through the House. Last evening the House decided not to adopt the report of the committee, thus killing the bill. Mr. Turner, however, intends to move that it be placed on the orders of the day for consideration of report on Monday next. Mr. Croft also gives notice of his intention to ask leave to introduce a bill to amend the Game Protection Act.

Closing Entertainment.

The members of the Young People's Literary Association in connection with the First Presbyterian church, are hard at work making preparations for their annual closing entertainment to be given in the lecture room on Monday, the 25th inst. This entertainment will be of a somewhat novel character, being composed principally of tableaux, but it will also have the excellent features which in the past have made the concerts of the Y.P.L.A. so attractive and so successful financially. Full particulars will be given at an early date.

Imperial Theatre.

The well known play, "Under the Gaslight," was very well rendered by the company at this theatre last night to a good audience. "Snorky," played by Mr. Berry, was a most excellent portrayal of that part. Miss Inman as usual was very good as "Laura Courtland," and received well-earned applause. Miss Berry again made a hit in her character part and was most amusing. Miss Lewis caught the audience in the part of "Grace Courtland," and her topical songs brought down the house and received several encores. Under the Gaslight will be played again to-night.

Standard Works.

See prices in the windows of Kerr & Begg's bookstore this week. *

Wanted

A good live man to start a general store in Barclay. Liberal inducements offered by the company. Apply at once to P. C. MacGregor, secretary, 18 Trounce avenue. *

Opened.

The British Columbia Medico-Electric Institute and Turkish Baths, corner of Broad and Yates street, are again in full operation with Dr. W. E. Bergman as manager. The baths are open from 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. *

A Bad Accident.

A man named Campbell, living on Johnson street above Douglas, was badly injured about the legs and body at Sehl's factory to-day. He was between two piles of lumber, trying to pull a plank out, when the pile fell on him.

Real Estate Deal.

Mr. Chas. Vernon has purchased the piece of property on the north-west corner of Government and Broughton streets from Col. Landes, of Port Townsend. The property has a frontage of forty feet on both Broughton and Government streets. Mr. Vernon also owns the old hook and ladder house, and it is understood that he purchased the corner with the object of erecting a handsome building on the property. The price has not been made public.

Bills Assented to.

The Lieutenant Governor at 3 o'clock took the chair in the House and gave assent to the following bills:—Act to Settle Fishermen in the Province; Act to Encourage Deep Sea Fisheries; Legislative Assembly Bill; Act Granting Land Subsidy to the Nelson and Fort Sheppard Railway. The special haste in passing of the Assembly Bill is understood to be for the purpose of enabling the House to bring the Kennedys up this session.

Death of W. D. Ferris.

William Douglas Ferris, a native of Bristol, England, aged 77 years, died at the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. T. W. Carter, Herald street, yesterday after a lingering illness. The deceased left his English home in 1856 to reorganize the Toronto police force, of which he was sergeant-major for five years. He came to British Columbia in 1862 and for a time carried on a stage and team business at Westminster, afterwards farming at North Arm. He was appointed a J.P., and for a time held the position of police magistrate at New Westminster. Among others he was instrumental in starting the Reformed Episcopal church at the Royal City. Leaving Westminster two years ago the deceased came to Victoria and has resided here ever since. His wife died several months ago. He leaves two sons and a daughter. The funeral will take place on Saturday at 2 o'clock from the residence, Herald street, and at 2:30 from the Reformed Episcopal church.

He Was a Fighter.

Michael Riley aired his Irish eloquence at the police court this morning to no purpose. He, with Charles McCornlock and John Kelly were called before the court on a charge of fighting. Riley was the only one of the trio who appeared, and did not look well with a black eye. Mr. Langley appeared for the defendant and pleaded guilty, asking the court to be lenient as it was a first offence. Riley was not satisfied with his counsel's appeal, and after remarking that "it was just a bit of drunk, your honor," called on the chief of police to certify to his character. The chief tried to speak in the defendant's behalf, but the latter drowned the words of the chief by telling the court something about his mother-in-law persuading his wife away from him. "I wan't shut up for you, McDowell," he said, and when the court informed him that he was fined $5, he remarked "and sure and I won't pay the $5." "You will go to jail for 14 days then" said the court, and as the prisonor was taken away he grumbled, "and me had a lawyer, too, and sure I'm a better lawyer myself."

The Art Interchange.

The April issue of The Art Interchange contains many suggestions and designs, both in color and in black and white, that are suitable for the decoration of Easter eggs, cards, etc. A very charming color supplement shows the head of a sweet little girl in a cowl; the Little Friar, as she is called, is destined to be a very popular young lady. A second color supplement shows pansies, and a third is filled with charming arrangement of butterflies. There are, besides, black and white supplements, filled with beautiful designs for china painting and embroidery. A particularly pretty pattern is the Italian renaissance—embroidery design—which shows cherubs' heads. A well composed and decoratively treated Easter design opens the magazine proper and there are illustrated articles on the Island of Marken; Fritz von Uhde, the celebrated German artist; and an entertaining account of the celebrated Julian Art Schools in Paris. This number of The Art Interchange is especially rich in practical matter, and can be commended to all art-workers. Price of the April issue, with three colored supplements, 35 cents. For sale by all newsdealers. Published by The Art Interchange Co., 9 Desbrosses street, New York.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE.

IN CHAMBERS.

(Before Mr. Justice Drake.)

Van Lokerer vs. Turner—Application of defendant to dismiss the case for want of prosecution. No one appeared for the defendant and it was ordered that the summons be dismissed and that the costs taxed and incidental to the application be paid by defendant to plaintiff forthwith. Messrs. Drake, Jackson & Helmcken for plaintiff, and Mr. Walker for defendant.

SUPREME COURT.

The action of Luke Wagner vs. the Corporation of Victoria is entered for trial before a judge of the Supreme Court without a jury, on Thursday, the 21st day of April.

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KILLED BY A TRAM CAR.

A Little Boy Run Over and Mangled by a Car on Douglas Street Last Evening.

An Inquest Held To-Day---The Evidence as Given Before Coroner Morrison.

Yesterday evening between 4 and 5 o'clock, John Hatcher, a little boy about 6 years of age was run over and killed by a tram car on Douglas street near Pembroke street crossing, almost the same place where a child was killed in the same way on the 24th of May last year.

The little lad, it seems, together with a number of companions, was standing quite near to the tramway track, interested in watching a steam wood sawing machine at work. A car came down Douglas street at a rapid rate, but owing to the noise of the saw the unfortunate child did not notice it. One of the men employed in running the saw, under the impression that the boy would be struck by the car, tried to pull him out of danger, but the child moved backward away from the man's grasp, and fell under the hind wheels of the car, which crushed his head into a pulp, killing him instantly. Motorman Prugsley, when he saw the danger, endeavored to stop the car, but failed in the attempt, as the grade at that place is rather steep.

Cornorer Morrison had the body removed to Lockhart's undertaking establishment, pending an inquest.

An inquest was held this afternoon at 2 p. m. by Coroner Morrison and a jury composed of the following gentlemen: Geo. Rudge, Foreman; Charles McDonald, W. P. Saniger, Charles Russell, Harry Coles, Alex Howe. After being sworn in, the Coroner and jury visited the remains at the undertaker's room and upon returning to the Police Court room the following evidence was taken.

A. Moisand, a wood cutter, was sworn, and testified that he was cutting wood with a sawing machine on Douglas street, between Pembroke and Princess Avenues a little after 4 o'clock. A car was coming down the street but he did not hear it; some boys were standing in the way of the car, and his attention being called to them by another man, he caught one, but the other was knocked down, the hind wheels passing over and smashing the boy's head. The boy was killed instantly. He was 6 or 7 years of age. The car was coming at a pretty good speed; it stopped in a few yards after striking the boy. The child dodged in front of the car; both boys were on the tram line. The noise of the cutting machine prevented the boys hearing the car. The machine was close to the track.

To the Foreman—Did not know if the car stopped on the street above.

To Chief Sheppard—Did not hear the car bell; if the child had run the opposite way and had had time he might have got away.

Li Chow, being sworn, deposed as follows: Was yesterday afternoon on Douglas street; was picking up the wood and saw two little boys playing near the track; they were striking the wheel with sticks. Just as I was picking up the wood, the last witness caught hold of one boy and the other boy ran across the track; the machine man tried to catch the other but failed and the car went over him breaking his head.

Mrs. Pauline, being sworn, deposed as follows: Live at 41 King's road; was on the car yesterday evening at 4 o'clock; could not tell the speed of the car; do not remember the motorneer ringing the bell; the last place the car stopped was at the Leland House; did not seem to me that the car was running fast; it seemed rather the reverse; he might have rung the bell without my knowledge.

A. Pugsley, being sworn, deposed: Am a motorneer by occupation; had charge of the car that ran over the boy; stopped before we came to the Leland House at Queen's avenue; we put brakes on at Princess avenue and were going at the rate of 5 miles an hour at the time of the accident; could see the boys from Princess avenue, a distance of about 50 yards; shouted and rang the bell but could not attract their attention; reversed the car before we reached them; the conductor was at the rear of the car; I could not have picked the child up; the man in charge of the sawing machine tried to pick him up but failed; we usually go up the grade there at the rate of 12 miles an hour, and down with the brakes on at the rate of five or six miles an hour, have been here seven weeks; get $50 a month; was under training for five weeks.

To Chief Sheppard—They were on east side of track about a yard from it; nothing would have occurred if the men had not tried to pick the child up; I examined the car and found blood on the rear part of the board, on front trap and on the rear wheels; no blood on the front wheels; he was not struck by front but fell between the four wheels.

To Coroner Morrison—Am 23 years of age.

To Jury—If the car went 5 miles an hour, the brake would stop it in about 20 or 30 yards.

To Mr. Howard—Am quite certain the brake was in perfect order, have orders not to go too fast.

To Chief Shephard—If the car was going at 10 miles an hour on a down grade, the car would go about 20 or 30 yards before being stopped.

Q—How far is it from the fountain to outer wharf?

Witness—It is about three miles, but do not know the exact distance; must run over this in 20 minutes.

Here Chief Sheppard said the distance was not more than a mile and three-quarters.

Roland Davis, aged 11, was first examined by Chief Sheppard to see if he understood the nature of an oath. Being sworn, he said: Live on Pembroke street; was standing with the boy that was killed; think he was six years old; the motorneer came down fast; Albert Earle, another boy, flung a rock at the boy as they were playing tag, and the latter, in trying to dodge it, slipped on the rail and was run over; did not hear the bell; a bell was never rung; I was on the sidewalk and the machine was not running at the time.

Wm. C. Snider, being sworn, deposed as follows:—Was coming along with a team, going north and the car was coming south; motoneer rang the bell; I saw two or three boys near the track watching the sawing machine, the fellow that was sawing tried to catch the boy, who slipped and fell on the track. Car was going pretty fast; could not say how fast it was going; was going 6 miles any how.

Arthur Lineham, being sworn, deposed as follows—Am a conductor on the tram line; left fountain at one minute after four so as to get to the other switch in four minutes; stopped at Queen's avenue, eased down at Princess avenue; the sawing machine was about 15 yards this side Pembroke street; boys were three or four feet away; motorneer rang the bell and shouted and they did not seem to hear him; the man grabbed at the big boy and then grabbed at the other, when he fell between the two trucks; saw motorneer reverse the car; he must have fallen between the fore and rear trucks; were not running more than 6 miles an hour as the brakes were never taken off; am certain he did not fall on the middle of the track; have been eight months a conductor.

To jury—Am not supposed to see the front of car or to whistle on seeing danger ahead; that is the motorneer's duty; we are often troubled with boys there; they often fire stones at the car.

Robert Hatcher, father of the child, said the boy was five years and three months old on the day that he was killed. He could recognize the child at the undertaker's by his clothes.

To a juryman witness said that he had seen the cars going down the hill at 25 miles an hour without ringing a bell. He did not believe that the children threw stones at the car. He had also warned them to keep off the track.

Robt. Menaugh, superintendent of the N. E. Tramway, said the brakes on the car were good. They had been made specially for the car and were longer than the ones generally used.

To a Juryman—The distance from the fountain to the switch is about half a mile and the time allowed to make the run is five minutes.

The jury retired at 4 o'clock, and returned at 4:30 with the following verdict:

We the jury find that Samuel Harry Hatcher met his death on the 7th of April by being accidentally run over by a street car on Douglas street. No blame can be attached to either the motorneer or conductor, but the jury is of opinion that the schedule rate of speed, viz., 10 miles, is too high a rate to be run with safety within the city limits. We are also of opinion that the motorneers are not a sufficiently trained body of men to be entrusted with the lives of the public.

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THE PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

After a Warm Discussion the University Bill is Killed in Committee.

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Architects' Close Corporation---The Game Bill Slaughtered---The Liquor Law.

THURSDAY, April 7, 1892.

Mr. Speaker took the chair at 2 o'clock.

UNIVERSITY BILL KILLED.

The House went into committee on the University Bill, Mr. Kitchen in the chair.

Mr. McKenzie moved to amend section 2, by providing that of the seven elected members of Senate, four should be allotted to the Mainland and three to the Island.

Mr. Brown objected to the amendment. It was calculated, he said, to arouse a sectional feeling which the members of convocation were anxious to keep down. At a meeting recently held a number of the members of the convocation, representing both the Mainland and the Island, it was unanimously decided to ask the House to amend the Act as provided in the bill introduced by Mr. Eberts. It would be unfair to change this at the last moment without giving notice, and the House was morally bound to support the bill as introduced. The members of the Senate should be elected according to fitness, not because of where they lived.

Mr. Hunter said there was nothing to prevent the mainland proceeding as it did before. Friendly meetings were no indication of what would follow. To prevent sectional trouble the proposed amendment was necessary. He characterised Mr. Brown as the Mother Goose who hatched the mainland association. This association did not represent the mainland, but the mud flats of the Fraser river and the fishing village of Westminster.

Mr. Brown informed the member for Comox that if the mainland association only represented the mud flats of the Fraser river, it represented more people than the whole of Vancouver Island.

Hon. Mr. Robson contended that the best way to bury sectional feeling would be to adopt the amendment.

Mr. Booth favored wiping the whole bill off the statutes. The university was only on paper, and the trouble was caused by real estate agents pulling for the establishment of the proposed university where they would be benefited. The bill proposed to establish only an examining board, and there would be sectional strife until the location of the university was fixed.

Mr. Horne agreed with Mr. Booth in opposing the amendment.

The Premier stated that some of the best universities in the world were only examining and degree conferring institutions.

Mr. Semlin thought the amendment was opposed to the interests of education. Members of the Senate should be elected because of their competence irrespective of locality. The bill should be withdrawn until such time as it could be introduced without creating sectional feeling.

Mr. Keith took the same view as Mr. Semlin, and moved that the committee rise.

The motion was put and carried.

NEW WESTMINSTER LAND BILL.

The New Westminster Land Grant Bill came up on report. The report was adopted and the bill read a third time and passed.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

Mr. Milne asked the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works the following questions:—

On what grounds were the application of J. C. Blackett and others for mining claims on the Work Estate refused? A.—On the ground that the Work Estate is apparently not land whereon the right to enter and mine for gold and silver has been reserved to the Crown, and also because it is questionable whether section 10 of the Minera' Act would apply within the limits of the City of Victoria.

2. Do the Government intend to allow the applicants to submit the case for trial? a. The Government will interpose no obstacle to any legal steps which the applicants may be entitled to take.

SUPREME COURT BILL.

On report of the Supreme Court Bill, Mr. Horne moved to amend section 8, by striking off the clause providing that the bill shall not become law until the Governor-General gives assent to its provisions. The motion carried, and the report was adopted as amended and the bill read a third time and passed.

TURN TO THE LEFT.

The House went into committee on the Highways Bill, Mr. Semlin in the chair. The bill was slightly amended and reported complete.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY BILL.

The Legislative Assembly Bill was next taken up in committee.

Mr. Brown said this sort of legislation was a mistake. It was ridiculous for the House to assume that it should have the same powers as the British House of Commons. The bill proposed to set up a tribunal not at all judicial. He protested against this and moved that the committee rise.

The Attorney-General asked if Mr. Brown contended that the House had no power to pass this bill.

Mr. Brown replied that the House might pass the bill, but it would be another thing to enforce it. He had read the opinions of high legal authority, which held that no colony had power to legislate to the extent this bill proposed. Outside of law the policy was bad. The object was not to protect, but to acquire power to oppress the majority.

The Attorney-General stated that Bourinot gave it as his opinion that the House had the power to enforce such a law as proposed.

Mr. Brown doubted Dr. Bourinot's knowledge of the facts, as his opinion was given on newspaper report.

The motion that the committee rise was lost.

Clauses 9 and 10 were struck out on motion of the Attorney-General, and the committee rose and reported the bill complete with amendments.

EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY BILL.

The Employer's Liability Bill was passed in committee, Mr. Hall in the chair, and reported without amendment.

EXECUTION BILL.

The Execution Bill was also passed in committee, Mr. Rogers in the chair, and the bill reported complete as amended.

RAILWAY LAND GRANT.

Hon. Mr. Turner moved the second reading of the Nelson & Fort Sheppard Railway land grant bill.

Mr. Brown opposed the motion. There were other ways to encourage railways than by making land grants. To guard the interests of the province it was necessary that the public lands should not be given away.

Mr. Cotton also expressed himself as opposed to the method of aiding railways by land subsidies.

The bill passed its second reading on the following vote:

Yeas—Messrs. Pooley, Turner, Martin, Croft, Hunter, Rogers, Anderson, Fletcher, Robson, Davie, Eberts, Stoddart, Booth, Hall, Mason, Kellie, Horne, Smith, Baker—19.

Nays—Milne, Beaven, Brown, Foster, Keith, Cotton, Punch, Sword, Kitchen, McKenzie, Semlin.

ARCHITECTS' BILL.

The House went into committee on the Architects' Protection bill, Mr. Fletcher in the chair.

When section 5 was reached Mr. Kitchen moved that the committee rise. He disagreed totally with the provisions of this clause, which proposed to place in the hands of nine men the power to say who should be admitted as members of the architects' institute.

Messrs. Hall, Smith, Foster and Brown favored Mr. Kitchen's amendment, and approved of killing the bill entirely.

The motion was put and lost.

Mr. Smith, on consideration of section 17, wanted a clause inserted to make architects responsible for defects in their work.

Mr. Sword also favored this view, but it did not meet with the approbation of the majority of the House.

Mr. Kitchen moved to amend clause 19 by adding to it that no person who was not a British subject should be allowed to practice the profession of architect in the Province.

This met with a vigorous opposition on all sides.

Mr. Kitchen said this show of opposition pleased him. He had just made the motion to show the injustice of the whole exclusion bill, and the action of the members in this particular showed that the principle of the bill was not a good one.

Mr. Forster characterized the clause as useless class legislation and moved that the committee rise without reporting.

The motion was put and the vote stood 13 to 13, but the chairman decided against the motion and it was declared lost.

Mr. Kitchen moved to strike out clause 20, providing for a penalty for inspection of Institute rules, and a vigorous debate as to the utility of protecting the professions generally and architects particularly followed.

Mr. Foster said there would be a big hubbub if working men brought in a bill to make it compulsory that every man should work under their unions, and providing a penalty of $50 for every offence and making every day so worked a separate offence, as this bill proposed to do for architects.

Mr. Keith also warmly opposed the clause, classing the bill as close corporation legislation.

Mr. Eberts said the Miners' Protective Association, to which the member for Nanaimo belonged, said men must not be allowed to work in the mines who did not belong to this union and who did not contribute 10 per cent. of their earnings to its support.

Mr. Semlin replied that the union men did not ask to have their rules made law.

The committee, on motion of Mr. Cotton, rose and reported progress and the House rose for refreshment.

EVENING SESSION.

Mr. Speaker took the chair at 8 o'clock.

THE ARCHITECTS' BILL.

The considération of the Architects' Bill was resumed in committee of the whole, Mr. Fletcher in the chair.

Mr. Kitchen moved to strike out clause 20, which motion was lost.

Mr. Sword moved an amendment the effect of which would be that an architect, though not a member of the British Columbia Institute of Architects, would still be allowed to carry on the business of an architect.

The amendment was lost and then the clause passed.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Davie clause 23 was amended so as to provide that anyone found guilty of making a fraudulent declaration or representation should be liable to a fine not exceeding $250.

Clause 24, providing for the payment of architects giving evidence in their professional capacity, was struck out.

Clause 25 was amended by striking out the subsections that provided that all sums of money arising from the recovery of penalties should be paid to the registrar of the council, which in its turn might allot a portion of it to the prosecutor.

Mr. Kitchen proposed that a new clause be added, viz: "Notwithstanding anything that the act contains the Board of Examiners shall be appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council."

This motion was lost.

The following schedule of fees payable under the Act was agreed to. For registration of architect, $10; registration of student, $5; annual fee of architect, $20; for final examination, $10; for application for examination of student, $1.

The committee then rose and reported the bill complete with amendments.

INFERIOR COURTS BILL.

The report on the Bill to Limit the Inferior Courts Practitioners' Act was adopted.

THE MINERAL BILL.

Mr. Speaker left the chair and the House went into committee of the whole on the Mineral Bill, Mr. Booth in the chair.

Hon. Mr. Davie objected to the consideration of the bill and the amendments proposed by the mining committee in the form in which they were presented. It would be better to incorporate the amendments in the bill and this could easily be done by one man, thus saving the time of honorable members.

The committee therefore rose and reported progress.

THE GAME BILL.

Hon. Mr. Turner moved that the order for the third reading of the Game Bill be discharged for the purpose of recommitting the bill with the view of striking out sub-section (a) of section 3 and inserting:—

"No person shall in any one year kill more than two bull wapiti or elk and two bull moose."

This motion was carried, and the bill was re-committed with Mr. Stoddart in the chair.

Mr. Croft explained briefly his object in introducing his amendment, when

Mr. Horne rose and said that enough time had been wasted over the Game bill when the old bill would have done equally well. He therefore moved that the committee rise.

This, if carried, would kill the bill, and accordingly

Hon. Mr. Vernon pointed out that it would scarcely be fair to kill the bill by a side issue of this kind, the object in re-committing it being to consider certain amendments. If hon. members wished to kill the bill, they should vote against its third reading.

Mr. Horne then withdrew his motion, and the amendment proposed by Mr. Croft was considered.

Mr. Hunter said he had no desire to say anything that would be considered in any way disparaging to the true British sportsman, but he certainly objected to legislation that was intended to benefit youths who were not sportsmen in the true sense of the term, but wished to be considered as such. The grotesqueness of those would-be sportsmen was really amusing. They might be seen almost every day walking along our streets dressed in a most fantastic style, with their waistcoat over their overcoats and their shirts over their waistcoats. One of these curiosities had written a letter to one of the city papers and succeeded in showing his profound ignorance of the subject on which he presumed to pose as an authority. In that letter he made a statement as follows: "Thirteen years ago I killed 400 head of big game, including 70 bighorn and over 100 wapiti, on one trip in "Western Wyoming." "Why," said Mr. Hunter, "he should have killed himself." The fact, however, was that this great English Nimrod had gone on a trading expedition to Wyoming and might have been seen trying to drive many a hard bargain with the Indians with all the avidity of a Shoreditch Jew. The writer of the letter after enumerating his own exploits went on to show how others had followed his example and in this way succeeded in exterminating the hundreds of thousands of wapiti and other animals that a short time before roamed through Wyoming and Dakota, and he did not fail to censure the Legislature for allowing it. He evidently believed in allowing no one to do the slaughtering but himself. The proposed legislation before the House was in harmony with that adopted in other provinces, notably in Ontario, as the report of the recommendations suggested by the commissioners appointed to enquire into the game laws of that province would show. He (Mr. Hunter) wished to see the noble elk of Vancouver Island protected and wished to have the three years' prohibition of hunting enforced on the Island at least.

Mr. Turner pointed out that the amendment would give liberty to kill only two wapiti, at which rate it would take a very long time to destroy them. It was not fair for the hon. member who had just sat down to make such amusing observations on English sportsmen. They might dress oddly but he had seen some of the hon. member's brither Scots arrayed in far less clothing. The letter to which Mr. Hunter alluded was written by an Austrian and not by an Englishman. The present bill was merely a consolidation of three acts now in force and its objects were to prevent the confusion that must arise from the existence of so many acts as well as to protect a few more birds and the noble elk. He therefore hoped they would quietly vote for the amendment.

The amendment was then carried.

The committee rose and reported the bill complete with amendments.

"Shall the report be adopted?" asked Mr. Speaker.

"Aye," said 12; "No," said 13 hon. members and thus the Game Bill was killed before it came to its third reading.

VICTORIA AND SIDNEY RAILWAY.

On consideration of the report of the Victoria and Sidney Railway Bill,

Hon. Mr. Beaven moved to insert his anti-Chinese clauses.

Hon. Mr. Robson said that the addition of a clause of this kind would prevent the company from floating its bonds if capitalists learned that there was any difficulty in regard to the kind of labor to be employed.

Mr. Baker moved the previous question, which was carried.

The amendment was then put and lost on the following division:

For:—Messrs. Semlin, Kellie, Brown, Fletcher, McKenzie, Milne, Forster, Kitchen, Beaven, Keith, Cotton, Horne, Stoddart—13.

Against:—Messrs. Sword, Davie, Nason, Croft, Smith, Vernon, Pooley, Hunter, Baker, Booth, Turner, Rogers, Robson, Hall, Martin, Anderson—16.

The bill was then read a third time and passed.

LIQUOR BILL.

Mr. Nason, in moving the second reading of the Liquor Bill, said that the proposed measure was a step in the right direction. Last year's legislation on the question was too severe, especially on those who lived in the upper country. There travellers often wanted a place in which to rest on Sunday and they had no place to go to except saloons, which under the present act require to be closed.

Hon. Mr. Robson expressed himself as sorry that his hon. colleague had introduced the amendment. He (Mr. Nason) had informed him that it was done "against his convictions and that he was sorry for it." It was a pity that an attempt should be made to repeal an act that had been on trial for only two months. Only one year ago the bill had passed but its provisions had not come in force until last January. It had not therefore a fair trial and it would be seen that if the bill were al-

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PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the electors of the Municipality of Johnson Street Ward that I require the presence of the said electors at the Council Chambers, City Hall, on Saturday, the ninth day of April, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing a person to represent them in the Municipal Council as Alderman for Johnson Street Ward, vice J. C. Devlin, resigned.

The mode of nomination shall be as follows: The candidates shall be nominated in writing; the writing shall be subscribed by two voters as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of the notice and 2 p.m. of the day of nomination, and in the event of a poll being necessary, such poll will be opened on the twelfth day of April at the Council Chambers, City Hall of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

Given under my hand at Victoria, the 4th day of April, 1892.

W. K. BULL,
Returning Officer.

Public notice is hereby given to the electors of Johnson Street Ward, of the municipality of the City of Victoria, that I require the presence of the said electors at the Council Chambers, City Hall, on the ninth day of April, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of nominating or electing a person to represent them in the Municipal Council as Alderman for Johnson Street Ward, vice J. C. Devlin resigned.

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City Clerk's office, March 24, 1892.
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The earth by these two handlings will generally be well broken up, but if it is not it should be broken with the rake as it is put back. Then put in the two-year-old roots as before stated. Cover them well and keep the earth of the bed loose and free from weeds. At the end of two years it will be ready to cut from. In very cold climates the bed should be covered with leaves or something else during the winter. In the spring it should be uncovered the first thing and hoed and raked. Beds may be made either in the autumn or spring, but in northern latitudes the spring is unquestionably the better time.

How to Pronounce Some Ordinary Words.

Conduit—*Kun*-dit.
Corps—core; plural, cores.
Cushion—*coosh*-un, not coosh-in.
Daunt—dant, not dawnt.
Deaf—def, not deef.
Divers (several) *di*-verz; but diverse (different) *di*-verse.
Dome—as spelled, not doom.
Dude—as spelled, not dood.
Duke—as spelled, not dook.
Edict—*e*-dickt, not *ed*-ickt.
E'en and e'er—een and air.
Either—*e*-ther or *i*-ther.
Ensign—*en*-sign, not *en*-sign.
Epistle—without the *t*.
Epoch—*ep*-ock, not *e*-pock.
Finance—*fe*-nance, not *fi*-nance.
Garden—*gar*-dn, not gar-den, nor gar-ding.

How to Lay a Carpet.

Put lining down first. Old newspapers will do if there is no better. Fasten the lining in place with a few small tacks. Lay the carpet and tack first at the end of the room which is least regular, as if there is a fireplace or a bay window. Stretch this end smooth as you tack. Then tack one side of the room, stretching the edge only. Next, use a stretcher vigorously from the first end toward the opposite, so that the seams will be straight and parallel with the side already tacked. Fasten the second end thoroughly and finally the other side. Be careful to have the carpet perfectly smooth and tight, or it will wear badly.

How to Water a Horse.

Don't be afraid of watering too often. Don't let the horse get very thirsty and he will not overdrink. Don't give him ice cold water if you can get that which is moderate in temperature. Don't water him when he is overheated. Never let him have too much water at once, especially if he is very thirsty. Give him a little at a time as often as he will drink. When he has enough he will refuse more.

How Eyeglasses Are Made.

The pieces of glass which are to be made into lenses for spectacles, for microscopes, small telescopes and the like are first ground into shape, roughly, by being held against a cast iron tool like a grindstone. This of course is curved to give the lens the concavity or convexity desired. From this tool the glass passes to a "fine tool," so called, of similar construction, but made of brass and covered with a fine powder of sulphate of iron, calcined and ground. Jewelers call it rouge. Then a third tool, like the second, but covered with cloth which is thoroughly powdered with rouge, is used for polishing. After both sides have been treated thus the lens is cut to the required shape, oval or round, with a diamond glass cutter and steel pincers, and the edges are ground smooth on metal wheels.

How to Put Away Winter Clothes.

Furs and woolen goods may be thoroughly and perfectly protected from moths by tying them up carefully in strong paper, leaving no cracks or breaks in the parcel, and then putting on a second wrapper of paper well soaked in turpentine. This is surer than insect powder, tobacco, cedar chests, camphor or any other usual expedient. Of course there must be no moths in the garments when they are put away.

How to Make a Cheap Icehouse.

Build a strong board shanty with a strong floor, not tight, and cover the floor six inches thick with sawdust. Pile the blocks of ice on this, leaving a space of ten or twelve inches between the ice and the walls of the shanty. This space is to be filled with sawdust as the ice is piled up. When a sufficient quantity of ice is stored cover it with sawdust eight or ten inches thick. The house should still be large enough to afford free ventilation over all. Ice will keep well in such a house.

How Long We Live.

Tables of mortality differ somewhat, but as careful an average as has been figured is one of the latest. According to this the average life of a civilized human being is 39.88 years. Occupation has much to do with the duration of life. Farmers live 45.52 years on an average and clerks only 34.99 years. Carpenters live 45.28 years and printers only 36.66 Among the healthier occupations are those of the domestic, who lives 42.03 years; the baker, who lives 41.92 years and the weaver, who lives the same length of time.

PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

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lowed to remain in operation until next session all opposition to it would vanish. A large number of the liquor men were glad such a measure had been passed, and were willing to submit to it and enjoy the benefits of one day of rest out of seven.

The change that had taken place in Victoria was a most happy one, one calculated to gladden the heart of every man of right ideas and right feelings. He had taken the trouble to make enquiries of the clerk of the police magistrate to ascertain the proportion between the number of "drunks" brought up on Monday morning before and after the enforcement of the act and had learned that for November and December last the number was 35, while for January and February it was only 13. Surely, therefore, the argument in favor of not interfering with the present legislation would appeal to the heart and soul of every hon. gentleman. Not only did it work well in Victoria, but reports that he had received from other places throughout the province were to the same effect. The report also of the Superintendent of Police on the jails of the province showed that of the 285 confined during last year 28 were of temperate and 257 of intemperate habits. If drink was such a curse, was it not right to minimize its effects by allowing it to be sold for six days and not for seven? It was not necessary to touch the religious phase of the question at all; on the very lowest ground it could be shown that one day's absolute rest out of seven was necessary. The proposed amendment would simply kill the act now in force.

Mr. McKenzie moved the previous question, which was carried 14 to 12.

The motion for a second reading was then defeated by an overwhelming majority.

THE RAILWAY BILL.

The report on the railway bill was considered, and then the bill, after being amended, was read a third time and passed.

BREEDING STOCK BILL.

On motion of Mr. Rogers the Breeding Stock bill passed its second reading.

ISLAND RAILWAY BILL.

Mr. McKenzie moved the second reading of a bill to amend an "Act relating to the Island Railway and the railway lands of the Province." The bill consisted of one line, and was intended to strike out clause 22 of the above Act. The clause worked much injustice to the settlers. In the first place the lands owned by the company were exempt from taxation as long as they continued in possession of them. The settlers had to pay a tax, and were therefore injured by the exemption of the company from taxation. Another drawback was that when the company sold land, it gave a title only to the surface, while it still claimed the mines and minerals under the surface. Hence it was that the lands were unoccupied. The company was so powerful thrt it got the Government to vote money for roads that would be of advantage to the railway, but thickly settled parts of the district could get no roads. The sum of $3500 had been voted for a road from Cowichan to Alberni, that is through the railway belt. The company charged from $1 to $3 an acre for their land, charged for surveys that they never made, charged a fee for making records, was not liable to taxation; in short, the company was on a different footing from all other institutions in the province. It could hold the land forever and the province could receive no return in the way of taxes, as would be the case in the proposed crofter scheme. And it had received $750,000 in cash and the most valuable mineral lands on the Pacific coast.

Hon. Mr. Robson stated that when the party that at present held the reins came into power there was a very strong feeling to have this railway built. The previous Government had made an agreement with a company, offering to give away much more than was given by the agreement with the present company. The Dominion Government had to give the Province $750,000 as damages for delay in constructing a railway to the Pacific and the only way the Province could get that sum was by building this road. He admitted that it was a great give away; one and a half millions of acres was a large area and the Government would never think of doing such a thing now. At that time the pressure of public opinion forced the Government to act as it did and it was then considered a fair arrangement. It was easy now to make capital out of it but the Government's standpoint at the time should be considered.

Besides the bill would have no effect even if it did pass. It was wrong from a constitutional point of view. The House could not afford to repudiate its obligations and cooly undertake to pass a bill that meant only confiscation. It was an utterly preposterous proposition.

Hon. Mr. Pooley was sorry that any hon. member should propose to repudiate contracts so unblushingly. It was impossible for the House to repeal the act or amend it, because it was in the nature of a contract. The Government had made the agreement with the Dominion Government, which, in turn, entered into a contract with the E. & N. Railway, subject to the terms of the act, one of which was that those lands should be exempt from taxation. Even if the House adopted a policy of repudiation, the Dominion Government would withdraw the subsidy to the Province or disallow the act.

Mr. Horne moved the previous question, which, being carried, closed the debate.

The second reading was then lost, only the following voting for it: Messrs. Fletcher, Forster, Brown, Keith and McKenzie.

CANADIAN NORTHERN RAILWAY.

Mr. Beaven moved, on the consideration of the report on bill (No. 50) intituled "An Act to incorporate the Canadian Northern Railway Company," to strike out section 42 and insert in lieu thereof the following:—

"42. The main terminus of the railway, the terminal workshops and other structures, works, docks and equipments, suitable for the terminus of a transcontinental railway, shall be erected in the immediate vicinity of the harbor of Victoria or Esquimalt."

The amendment was carried.

Hon. Mr. Beaven moved the insertion of his anti-Chinese clause in the bill.

Mr. Smith asked if the amendment was in order, it having been voted on already.

Mr. Speaker said it was in order, as it applied to a different bill.

The amendment was lost on the usual vote; the bill read a third time and passed.

DRAINAGE AND IRRIGATION ACT.

The House then went into committee of the whole on the Drainage, Dyking and Irrigation Act, Mr. Cotton in the chair.

Hon. Mr. Davie stated clause 2 would be an interference with private rights secured by the Sumas Dyking Act to Matsqui settlers. The act on the statute book since 1878 was a very good one.

Mr. Sword stated he had no objection to the insertion of a clause exempting Matsqui lands from its operation, which are described in the Sumas Dyking Act.

A new section to that effect was inserted.

The committee then rose and reported the bill complete with amendments.

Hon. Mr. Robson moved that the House, at its rising, stand adjourned till 2 o'clock to-day. Carried.

And then the House did adjourn at 11:50 o'clock.

CONCERNING A GREAT SOLDIER.

How General Winfield Scott Learned to Cook.

General Scott was well known in the army as an epicure and an accomplished practical cook, and it was owing largely to his efforts that the standard of rations for the army was raised as high as it is. In telling how he learned to cook he said that when he was a young man he was fortunate enough to contract a friendship with an old French gentleman who had fled from San Domingo at the revolt of the negroes, leaving his estates and settling almost penniless in a little cottage near Petersburg, Va. His dining room and kitchen were separated by a partition only five feet high. Here he entertained Scott, and as he was too poor to hire a waiter or a cook he prepared his own meals, placed them on the table, and then, doffing his apron and donning a dress coat, dispensed his hospitality with the dignity of a king. From this old gentleman General Scott said he learned both cookery and conduct.

How to Ask a Favor.

When one makes a draft on the friendship of another he is expending a certain amount of social capital, the amount being measured by the good nature of the person of whom the favor is asked, the degree of friendship between the two persons interested and the reasonableness of the request. It is, therefore, best to ask as few favors as possible. When it must be done, however, the request should be preferred with such modesty that it has no chance of sounding as though it were asked as a matter of right. Then, again, the form of the request should be so framed that the other party will feel at liberty to decline without embarrassment either to himself or the one asking the favor. Such humble conduct will succeed just as often as that breezy manner so frequently employed by those who ask for impossible things as though they were merely a matter of course. But it is best to follow the advice of Polonius:

Neither a borrower nor a lender be,
For loan oft loses both itself and friend;
And borrowing dulls the edge of husbandry.

How to Raise Your Hat.

They do this thing better in France, but they also rather overdo it. The proper thing is to raise the hat above the head and bow slightly, moving the hat forward as the head inclines. Or one can also take the hat below the head and bow slightly over it, but the first is the more graceful salutation. Merely to uncover the head without bowing is somewhat military in its method, but it does not appear to convey the same degree of respect. To merely touch the hat is not much better than a simple nod, and to jerk the hat down to the waist in a line parallel with the body is an insolence which deserves a kick whenever a young man's bumptiousness leads him to such monkey shines. It is needless to say that a proper salutation should always be smilingly made and that the smile should not come so quickly as to appear to be only a grin, nor depart so soon as to seem to have been summoned by an effort.

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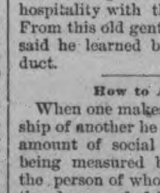

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Dated this 10th day of March, 1892.
M. J. CONLIN.
mh10 1m WM. RENDALL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the partnership lately subsisting between the undersigned under the firm or style of "Braden & Stamford," has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.
The said business will henceforth be carried on by the undersigned James Leonard Stamford, who will receive all accounts and pay all liabilities.
Dated the 26th day of March, 1892.
JOHN BRADEN.
m28-1m J. L. STAMFORD

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date I intend applying to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Land and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land situate on the south shore of Nahmint bay, Alberni canal; Commencing at a post on the shore of Alberni canal; thence west 80 chains; thence north 40 chains to the Nahmint river; thence meandering east along the shore to the place of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.
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January 30th, 1892. feb1

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W. D. McGREGOR.
Victoria, B.C., January 16th, 1892. ja22

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THE REPORTED WRECKS.

The Indians Saw no Wreckage, Just Biscuits on the Beach---Two Stories.

The steamer Mystery returned from the West coast at midnight, and among other things reported that the deserters from the Sea Lion had been captured by Mr. J. L. Penny and others. The Vancouver schooner Labrador had a narrow escape from total destruction off the cape a few days ago, only being saved by the prompt action of the crew. The Indians up the coast report that the American schooner Henry Dennis and the whaling bark Hermit are wedged in among the rocks, the former in San Josef bay and the latter fifteen miles from Scott channel. The Henry Dennis was seen off the place where she is reported to be a total wreck by schooners from Victoria.

A well known sea captain in conversation with a TIMES reporter to-day, said that the distance from Clayoquot to Kyuquot Sound is 75 miles. The latter place is where it is said the news in regard to the wrecked vessels was obtained. As the weather was very rough it was almost impossible to do any travelling along the coast in canoe, but the Indians brought the news to Clayoquot.

The sealing schooner C. D. Rand of Vancouver, which lost her flying jibboom and received other damage off Kyoquot Sound four days ago, arrived in the harbor this morning for repairs. One of the crew, a West Coast Indian, said that all that the Indians knew about any wreck was the fact that they found a lot of biscuits on the beach. They saw nothing of any wreckage, but had heard that a ship had been lost off Cape Cook. They knew nothing of the Henry Dennis, although she might have been wrecked further up the coast. The Rand had 53 skins, the small catch being accounted for by the rough weather in March and the inability to get an Indian crew during the fine weather of February.

The Quadra, which is due this evening, will no doubt have full particulars about the wrecks.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World, Here and Elsewhere.

LACROSSE.

The large attendance at the executive committee meeting of the Victoria Lacrosse Club held last evening, is a sure sign of increasing popularity of the national game in Victoria. The grounds committee reported the grounds ready and a practice was therefore called for Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. A committee was appointed to draw up ground rules to be observed by the members while on the ground practising or playing. The colors to be worn are dark, sky blue and white.

The executive of the British Columbia Lacrosse Association will meet in the reception room of the Victoria Hotel on Saturday evening.

THE WHEEL.

The Island Wanderers held their annual meeting last evening and elected the following officers: Hon. President, Hon. J. H. Turner; President, William Christie; Vice-President, H. J. Scott; Secretary-Treasurer, H. Kent; Captain, W. J. Jeffree; First Lieutenant, J. E. Wilson; Second Lieutenant, Roderick Begg; Standard Bearer, C. H. Gibbons; Bugle Major, H. A. Tiedemann; Executive Committee, to be composed of the President, Vice-President, Secretary-Treasurer and the Racing Committee; Racing Committee, C. W. Minor, J. E. Wilson, C. A. Godson, T. Edwards, C. H. Gibbons. Mr. Adamson has offered a silver jug and cup to be competed for at the Driving Park on Easter Monday. The offer was accepted. The question of uniforms has been laid over until the next meeting to be held on the 13th instant.

THE GUN.

The Victoria Gun Club will hold the the first shoot of the season in their new grounds opposite the Willows, on the Cadboro bay road, to-morrow afternoon at 1:30. They will shoot every Saturday during the summer.

BASEBALL.

The lovers of baseball are not to be disappointed this year, as several good clubs will be organized and many hard fought battles will be lost and won before the season is over. The James Bay will practice to-morrow afternoon at the Hill if the weather permits. All baseball players are invited to join in and make the first turnout a success.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

Steamer Mystery leaves for the West coast again this evening.

The Thermopylæ is being re-caulked and refitted at Spratt's wharf.

The steamer Falcon is unloading her scow load of rock at Janion's wharf.

The steamer Maude went this morning to the Esquimalt dockyard with a supply of naval stores.

Steamer Wellington arrived from Vancouver this morning and left for Portland in the afternoon.

A large quantity of cannery supplies are being brought out from London, England, by the bark Irviae.

The steamer Barbara Boscowitz will leave Porter's wharf this evening at 6 o'clock for Port Simpson and way ports, calling at Queen Charlotte Islands. She carries a general cargo consisting principally of cannery supplies.

Robert Bouthet has libeled the steamer San Juan at Seattle for $77, claimed to be due for wood furnished, and had the boat tied up for a short time. A bond was at once filed in the Federal court and the steamer released. In speaking of the affair Captain Nibbe said that the boat owes no such sum for fuel. The contract under which the wood was bought called for payment as the cords were taken from the dock. In some instances he had paid in advance. But on Thursday he had struck a balance with libellant and paid some on account, and, he says, the account then paid and some wood now upon the dock are now included in the amount asked. That in so far as the present course has been pursued, he will "see it out."

The steam schooner Lucy Lowe was burned to the water's edge near Fidalgo City early on Monday morning. She loaded 1250 barrels of lime at Roche Harbor Sunday night and sailed for Tacoma. Heavy seas flooded the decks and the lime slacked. The deck load was thrown overboard and the vessel headed for Deception Pass, when the cargo in the hold was found to be on fire. The engineers and firemen were driven from their quarters, and the fire spread rapidly. Steam was only kept up by the crew rushing down through the blinding smoke and shoveling coal into the furnaces and returning to the deck. Before the vessel could reach the shore the flames drove the captain and officers from the pilot house. The steamer was scuttled in two fathoms of water, and as she sank the boiler exploded. The crew had gotten safely ashore in the meanwhile. The Lowe was owned by the Commercial Company of San Francisco and was valued at $12,000, partly insured. She was formerly a British sealing vessel, which was captured in Behring Sea five years ago, confiscated and sold by the government.

DATES DECIDED UPON.

The Pirates of Penzance to be Played on the 26th and 27th Instant.

The little misunderstanding with the customs in regard to the passage of the costumes for the Pirates of Penzance having been settled, it was last evening decided to present the opera on the 26th and 27th instant. Mr. Pferdner, who was instrumental in getting the ladies and gentlemen together to present the Pirates, has been hard at work rehearsing, and the principals, and in fact all who are taking part, know their lines perfectly. The event will be one of the most fashionable and successful of the season, and it is not going beyond the limit to say that the house will be crowded both evenings. The proceeds are to be devoted to the Jubilee Hospital, which fact will assist in making the event a success.

A very successful stage rehearsal was held last evening, and rehearsals will be continued three times a week until the date of the presentation. At to-morrow evening's rehearsal the ladies will be measured for their costumes.

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The Rush to Oklahoma.

GUTHRIE, O.T., April 6.—The crowds on the border of the Cheyenne and Arapahoe reservation grow greater each day, and already 10,000 people are assembled along the line. Within 48 hours after the proclamation is issued this number will be trebled, and by the day of the opening fully 75,000 people will be ready to participate in the grand rush. The crowd now numbers people of every color, nationality and profession. Gamblers are plentiful and are growing rich off the unsophisticated boomer, upon whose hands time hangs heavily.

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DIED.

FERRIS—In this city, on the 7th inst., William Douglas Ferris, a native of Bristol, England, aged 77 years.

The funeral will take place to-morrow (Saturday) at 2 o'clock, from the residence of Mr. T. W. Carter, 63 Herald street, and at the Reformed Episcopal church at 2:30 o'clock. Friends are invited to attend.

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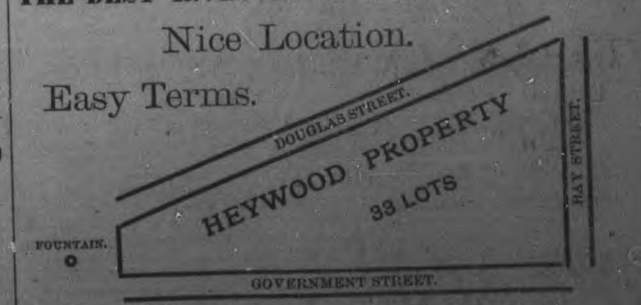

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